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Friday, March 25, 2011

12:30 p.m.—1:30 p.m.

Room W400

One year after the conversation with New York Law School, **David Kappos, Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office**, will discuss the efforts taken by the USPTO to ensure a more robust infrastructure of IP rights and protections.

Mr. Kappos will specifically highlight:

- The role of universities in IP diffusion.
- Patent reform and the support it has received in Congress.
- The President's strategy for economic growth through innovation using the USPTO as a foundation.
- The impacts of Peer To Patent.
- The Green Technology Pilot and Three-Track program to underscore unprecedented social enterprising.

Space is limited. RSVP to Naomi.Allen@nyls.edu by Wednesday, March 23, 2011.